

ORIALL
Coll. 1537.



In Edward the second (called *Edward of Carnarvon*) began the foundation of this Colledge, by the procurement of *Adam Brown* Clerk, the Almner to the said King, dedicating the same to the honour of the Blessed Virgin *Mary*, calling it the *House or Hall of S. Marie the Virgin* (a^{ly} *Oriall* Colledge) which he endowed with lands and revewns for the maintenance of one Provoft, and 10 Fellows. But afterwards by the liberalite of *John Frank*, who gave allowance for fourte Fellowships, *John Carpenter* Bishop of *Worcester*, who gave one Fellowship, *William Smith* Bishop of *Lincoln*, who gave one Fellowship; the aforesnamed *Adam Brown*, who was first Provoft, being also a great benefactour, King *Edward* the third, who gave the Hospitall of *S. Bartholomew* neare *Oxford*, *Antonie Blincow* D. of Law late Provoft, who bestowed 1200 pounds in building the forefront, and *Rich. Dudley*, who gave maintenance for two Fellows, and 6 Exhibitors, other six being of a more ancient foundation, besides divers other benefactours, this Colledge is much increased. Moreover, our late Sovereigne *King James*, being informed that the title of the foundation thereof, with the lands thereunto belonging were in question, and subject to eviction, hath confirmed by Letters Patents a sure estate of the same; wherein at this present is one Provoft, 18 Fellows, 12 Pensioners or Exhibitors, one Bible-clerk, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, the whole number being 160.

John Tomlin Doctor of Divinitie, &c. being now Provoft.

QUEEN'S
Colledge.
1340.



Robert Eglesfield Bacchelour of Divinitie, Chaplain to Queen *Philippa*, wife to King *Edward* the third, founded this Colledge in his own ground, by the name of *Queens College* commanding the patronage thereof to his Ladie the Queen, and to the Queens of England successively which he endowed with lands and revewns for the maintenance of a Provoft, and 12 Fellows, which were to be augmented as the revewns increased. But since, by the bountie of King *Edward* the third, who gave the Hospitall of *S. Julians* in *Southampton*, commonly called *God's House*; King *Edward* the fourth, who gave the Prioce of *Sherborn* in *Hampshire*, *Robert Langton*, *Thomas Langton* Provoft, Bishop of *Wichester*, *Edm. Grindall* Archibishop of *Canterbury*, *Christopher Cambridge* Provoft, Archibishop of *York*, *William Tiptrel* Esquire, *Hay Robyn* Provoft, Bishop of *Carlile*, Doctor *Ayrle* late Provoft, and divers other late good benefactours, the number of students are much increased. Moreover, our late Sovereigne Ladie Queen *Elisabeth* in the third year of her reigne, being informed that the title of the foundation thereof, with the lands thereunto belonging were in question, and subject to eviction, by Act of Parliament confirmed a sure estate of the same. Likewise of late, for the better encouragement of the Fellows, who are all bound by statute to professe Divinitie, it hath pleased our most gracious King *CHARLES*, by the intercession of his Royall Consort Queen *MARIE*, Patronesse of this Colledge, to bestow upon the same the perpetuall patronage of certain Benefices in the Countie of *Southampton*: whereupon they retain a certaine honourable and thankfull commemoration both of our King and Queen publickly, for their princely partie towards this Colledge. In it at this present is a Provoft, 14 Fellows, 7 Scholars, two Chaplains, and 14 other students Under-graduates, called by the Founder, *Servientes ad mensam, or Sociorum ministris*; besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, to the number of 160.

Christopher Potter Doctor of Divinitie, &c. being now Provoft.

NEVV Colladge.
1375.



William Wickham, alias *Peint*, Rectour of *S. Martins le grand*, and after Dean there, Archdeacon of *Lincoln*, *Northampton*, and *Eckington*, Provoft of *Wells*, Prebend of twelve severall places, principall Secretarie to King *Edward* the third, Keeper of the Privie Seal, Bishop of *Wichester*, Lord high Treafurer, and Chancellour of *England*, founded this Colledge, dedicating the same to God the Father, and the Blessed Virgin *Mary*; which he endowed with lands and revewns for the maintenance of a Warden, 7 Fellows and scholars, 10 Chaplains, 3 Clerks, 1 Organist, 16 Choristers, besides officers and servants; and before he builded the same, he gave exhibition to 50 scholars, for the space of ten years, in this Universitie. He also founded a Colledge at *Wichester*, whereto he established one Warden, ten Fellows, two Schoolmasters, and 70 scholars, with officers and servants, which he all maintained at his charge; out of which school he ordained to be chosen the best scholars always to supply the vacant places of the Fellows of this Colledge. Since by the bountie of *Matt. Rawlin*, *S. Richard Real* Knight, Doct. *Newman*, Doct. *Reeve* late Warden, Doct. *Martin*, *Robert Bell*, Doct. *Smith*, and others, this Colledge is much enriched with place, books, and other ornaments; in which at this present is a Warden, 70 Fellows and scholars, 10 Chaplains, 3 Clerks, one Organist, 16 Choristers, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, being in all 135.

Robert Pinck Doctor of Divinitie, &c. now Warden.

LINCOLN
Colledge.
1420.



Richard Fleming born in *Yorke* shire, Doct. of Divinitie, Bishop of *Lincoln*, in the 8 years of the reigne of King *Henry* 5, founded this Colledge by the name of *Lincoln Colledge*, which he endowed with lands and revewns for the maintenance of one Rectour, six Fellows, and 2 Chaplains. After, *Robert Fleming* Dean of *Lincoln*, *Edm. Derby* Archdeacon of *Stow*, endowed the same Colledge with lands, for the maintenance of three Fellows, superadded to the number of the foundations; *John Farre* Dean of *Wells*, *Thom. Becket* Bishop of *Bath and Wells*, *John Southam* Archdeacon of *Oxford*, *William Fynder* Esquire, *Henry Beauford* Cardinal, Bishop of *Wichester*, *John Edeck* and *Ihu Crosbie* augmented the same. In anno 1479 *Thom. Scot*, alias *Rotherham*, born in *Yorkshire*, Fellow of *King's Colledge*, Chancellour and Lord Privie Seal to King *Edward* 4, Provoft of *Beverly*, Bishop of *Rehoboth*, after of *Lincoln* (and then chalan Master of *Pembroke* Hall in *Cambridge*) Archibishop of *Yorke*, Lord Chancellour of *England*, Chancellour of the Universitie of *Cambridge*, Secretarie to 4 Kings, when he was Bishop of *Lincoln*, did much enlarge, and finally perfect the buildings of the same, adding to the former number five fellowships. Since *Walter Bates*, *William Dugay*, *William Arwater* Bishop of *Lincoln*, *Edmund Audley*, *Robert Trap*, *Richard Kebbe* late Rectour, *John Randall*; the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Father in God, *John* Lord Bishop of *Lincoln*, &c. (who at his great charge erected a fair Chappell) and divers other benefactours, have much increased the same; wherein at this present is one Rectour, 15 Fellows, 2 Chaplains, and 4 scholars, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, being in all 169.

Paul Hood Doctor of Divinitie, &c. being now Rectour.

ALL-SOULNES
Colledge. 1437.



Henry Chicheley Doct. of the Civil Law, Chancellour of *Salisbury*, Bishop of *S. David*, Archibishop of *Canterbury*, in the 15 year of the reigne of King *Henry* 6, founded this Colledge by the name of *All Soul's Colledge*, (procuring the said King *Henry* to give thereto 4 Priories Alans, namely *Alberbury*, *Ramsey*, *Weeden-Pinkney*, and *Langenhurst*) the building whereof he perfecte in such form as it still remaneth, endowing the same with lands and revewns, for the maintenance of one Warden, 40 Fellows, whereof 24 should be Divines, and the rest students of the Civil Law, appoinning by statute that the number of Fellows should never be augmented nor emperied; and that once in every yeare all places (by death, or otherwise void) should be supplied. He also gave lands and revewns for the maintenance of Chaplains, Clerks, and Choristers, *sans* number. Since *Reginald Poel* Cardinal, and Archibishop of *Canterbury*, *S. William Peter* Erastine Fellow of this Colledge, Privie Councillour to *Henric* the 8, King *Edward*, Queen *Mary*, and Queen *Elisabeth*, have been benefactours to the same. And the late Queen *Elisabeth* of famous memorie, confirmed by letters Patents to this Colledge, the Parsonage of *Staunton* and *Harcourt*. In this, at this present, is one Warden, 40 Fellows, 2 Chaplains, 3 Clerks, 6 Choristers, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, the whole number being 70.

Richard Ashley Doctor of Divinitie, &c. being now Warden.

Here be also in this Universitie seven Halls, in which there are many students living at their own charges; viz. *Glocester Hall*, which was first built by *John Lord Gifford of Brinsfield*, for the Monks of *Glocester* to studie in; after it was augmented by the Monasterie of the order of *S. Benedict*, for their *Benedictino* Monks; and latty converted to a House for scholars, by *S. Thomas White* Knight, *ut prius*: wherein is resident at this present *Degory Wheare* Principal, *Historie Reader*, and 92 students. *Edmund Hall* was builded by *S. Edmund* Archibishop of *Canterbury*, wherein is resident *William Airay* Principal, and 93 students. *S. Albow Hall* was builded by the Abbot of *S. Albow*, for their Monks to studie in; wherein is resident *Richard Souch* Doctor of Law, *Commissarie of Oxford* Diocesse, now Principal, and 99 students. *Hart Hall* was builded by *Walter Stapuldon* Bishop of *Exeter*, for students: wherein is now resident *Philip Parsons* Doctor of Physick, Principal, and 104 students. *New Hall* was in the tenure of *New Colledge*, heretofore called *Turlocke* Inne; wherein is now resident *Christopher Rogers* Principal, and 140 students. *S. Marie Hall* was founded by King *Edward* the second; wherein is now resident *John Saunders* Doctor of Physick, Principal, and 100 students. *Magdalene Hall* was founded by *William Warkyn* Bishop of *Wichester*, wherein is now resident *John Wilkinson* Doctor of Divinitie, Principal, and 220 students.

The total number of Students of all Degrees in this Universitie, that had names in every particular Colledge, with the Magistrates and daily officers thereunto belonging, besides divers young Scholars that were relieved therein, which had no names in any of the Colledges aforesaid, were in Anno 1622, 2850. And at this present there are in the same 3247.

Printed by the Printers to the Universitie of Cambridge, for *JOHN SCOR* the elder, and are to be sold over against *Holborn Conduit*, at the house of *Robert Peak*, Anno 1634.

Sir *Thomas Pope* Knight, founded this Colledge in the 4 years of the reigne of King *Philip* and Queen *Mary*, dedicating the same to the holy and individual *Trinitie*, where about the year 1550, *Thomas Hatfield* Secretarie to King *Edward* the 3, afterwards Bishop of *Durham*, had formerly builded a Colledge called *Durham Colledge*, which was endowed with certain lands, by the gift of the founder, and *Robert Walsworth* Prior of *Durham*, for the maintenance of 8 Monks, and 7 Clerks, such as should be thought fit to come thereunto from *Durham*; which old Colledge being by continuall of time exceedingly decayed and ruined, the said Sir *Thomas Pope* Knight obtained to erect his new Colledge thereon, endowing the same with lands and possessions for the maintenance of a President, 12 Fellows, and 12 scholars. Since by the liberalite of the late Lady *Elisabeth Powlett*, and many other worthy and well affected benefactours, the same is much beautified with buildings, books, and other ornaments; for the perfecting whereof there hath been expended great summes of money: wherein there is at this present a President, 12 Fellows, 12 Scholars, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with many other students, the whole number being 133.

Ralph Ketle Doctor of Divinitie, &c. now President.

TRINITY
Coll. 1556.



Henry Chicheley Doctor of the Civil law, Chancellour of *Salisbury*, Bishop of *S. David*, Archibishop of *Canterbury*, &c. among other buildings laid the foundation of this fabrick, and called it *S. Bernard's Colledge*. After its supprention by King *Henry* 8, it was built in a dream (*ut tradunt*) shewed unto Sir *Thomas White* Knight, Merchant Taylor of the Cite of *London*, and thereupon by him new built to the honour of *S. John Baptist*; who endowed it with maintenance for a President, 50 Fellows and scholars, a Chaplain, a Clerk, 6 Choristers, and 4 Singing-men. The companie of Merchant Taylors in general, and divers of them in particular have been also very beneficial; more especially Sir *William Craven* Knight, Sir *William Paddie* Knight Doctor of Physick, sometime Commerne of this Colledge, hath given towards the building of the Librarie, and not only furnished it with 100 books, but also purchased perpetual patronages of *Greek* 300 pounds, and of *Bagly* 100 pounds, created a fair pair of Organs in the Chappell, gave 20 pounds per anna for the maintenance of the Organs, &c. And as this Colledge was first begun by *Henry Archibishop of Canterbury*, so it is now enlarged with a fair & spacious back-courte embattled, by the most Reverend Father in God *William* by Gods permission Archibishop of *Canterbury*, Primate and Metropolitan of *England*, one of the Lords of his Majesties most honourable privie counseil, Chancellour of this Universitie: in which at this present is a President, 50 Fellows and scholars, a Chaplain, a Clerk, besides servants, Commoners, and other students, being in all 110.

Richard Balic Doctor of Divinitie, Archdeacon of *Nottingham*, &c. now President.

S. JOHN'S
Colledge.
1557.



Hugh Price Doctor of the Civil law, Treasurer of *S. David*, procured the foundation of this Colledge on the ground where *White Hall* had formerly been situated, which was given with the edifices and gardens thereto belonging by Queen *Elisabeth*, who is the true Foundresse thereof, being to file in the mortmain, by her confirmed 27 *Iunii Anno regni sui 13*, *Collegium Iesu, infra Civitatem & Universitatem Oxon. ex fundatione Regis Elisabeth*: wherein she established a Principal, 8 Fellows, 8 scholars, and *Hugh Price* is only stiled a benefactour, who builded one part thereof. Since by the bountie of *Herbert West* alias *Hercyreford*, *Henry Rosland* Bishop of *Bangor*, *Griffith Loyd* D. of Law, *Griffith Powell*, and *Iohn Williams* D. of Divinitie, late Principal, Sir *Eubule Thachell* Knight, late Principal of the same, who hath made a court in a manner fourre-square, builded and wainscoted the hall, perfected the Chappell with a curious and costlie roof, seats, glasse, and all other things necessary for so farr a place, and many other good ornaments; Mistris *Les Wood* widow of *Own Wood* Deane of *Armagh* in the kingdom of *Ireland*, with other good benefactours, it is much increased with students: and hath at this present in the same a Principal, 16 Fellows, 16 scholars, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with other students, being 109.

Francis Mansell Doctor of Divinitie, &c. now Principal.

JESUS Coll.
1572.



Nicholas Wadham of *Merfield*, in the Countie of *Summer-set* Esquire, in the 7 year of the reigne of King *James* deceased, bequeathed 400 pounds per annua, and left in ready money 6000 pounds to purchase more lands for the endowing of a Colledge in *Oxford*, and gave order for the raising of 5000 pounds more upon his lands for the building of it: and before his death gave directions to *Dorothy* his wife (sister to *John Lord Peter*) for the erecting of the same; who in testimonie of her love to her husband, hath since erected and perfected in such fair and ample manner, as no Colledge in *Oxford* (for the quantite) doth exceed the same, expending between eleven and twelve thousand pounds in the building thereof; and hath endowed and settled a percutial estate of her owne and her husbands of neare 800 pounds per annua in present, for the maintenance of a Warden, 15 Fellows, 15 scholars, 2 Chaplains, 2 Clerks, furnishing them with serviceable officers, and other necessarie ornaments fit for such a societie. To which Colledge since *Philip Biffe* Doctor of Divinitie, *Chancellor of Wells*, and Archdeacon of *Taunton*, gave 1849 books for their Librarie, valued at 1200 pounds: Wherein at this present is a Warden, 15 Fellows, 15 scholars, 2 Chaplains, 2 Clerks, besides officers and servants of the foundation, with many other students; the whole number being 129.

William Smith Doctor of Divinitie, &c. now Warden.

WADHAM
Colledge.
1613.



Tomas Tylde of *Glympton* in the Countie of *Oxford* Esquire, bequeathed 1500 pounds to *George Abbot* then Bishop of *London*, *John Beest* Knight, and *Henry Airay* Doctor of Divinitie, to purchase lands for the maintenance of 7 Fellows, and 6 scholars; with which money Lands were purchased to the value of 250 pounds per annua for the said use. And *Richard Wightwick* Bacchelour in Divinitie, Rector of *Easf-Isley* in *Comitatem Berk*, gave lands to the value of 100 pounds per annua for the maintenance of 3 Fellows, and 4 scholars; whereupon petition being made to King *James*, he granted a charter for the foundation of a Colledge by the name of *Pembroke Colledge*, with mortmain of 750 pounds per annua: which Colledge was founded at *Broadgates Hall*, an ancient houle for scholars, but not endowed, having only a Principal, and voluntarie students therein. This Colledge was called *Pembroke Coll.* in respect to *William* Earl of *Pembroke*, then Chancellour of the Universitie of *Oxon*, and Visitor of *Broadgate Hall*; to which our most gracious King *CHARLES* gave the paroche of the Church adjoining to it, viz. *S. Allates*, for ever. This Colledge consisteth of a Master, 10 Fellows, and 10 scholars, with other students and officers, to the number of 169.

Thomas Clayton Doctor of Physick, and the Kings Professour, &c. now Master.

PEMBROKE
Coll. 1620.

